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From: Keener, Bill
Sent: Tue 9/1/2015 8:32:32 PM
Subject: RE: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

There is a possibility that the reporter will have to re-schedule for tomorrow...trying to work this out right now and will let you know ASAP. The only time Jared has tomorrow is between 10:00 and 11:00.

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From: Rao, Kate
Sent: Tuesday, September 01, 2015 10:36 AM
To: Keener, Bill
Cc: Zito, Kelly; Albright, David; Montgomery, Michael
Subject: RE: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

Bill – Attached is the CA UIC program status to help Jared prep for the 2:30 pm phone interview today with Ellen Knickmeyer (AP).

Kate

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From: Keener, Bill
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 12:13 PM
To: Rao, Kate
Cc: Zito, Kelly
Subject: RE: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

No...that's all she would say.

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From: Rao, Kate
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 12:11 PM
To: Keener, Bill
Cc: Zito, Kelly
Subject: RE: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

Bill – is there any way that you can get specific questions that Ellen wants to ask Jared? Kate

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From: Keener, Bill
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 11:15 AM
To: Rao, Kate
Cc: Zito, Kelly
Subject: FW: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

I got a bit more info from the reporter...see below.

From: Knickmeyer, Ellen [<mailto:EKnickmeyer@ap.org>]
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 11:12 AM
To: Keener, Bill
Subject: RE: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

Thanks, Bill. It's an aspect of the issue of California's compliance with the safe drinking water act when it comes to oilfield UIC injection wells. Talking to Jared on it would be really helpful, and definitely something we need to seek comment on.

Best,

Ellen

From: Knickmeyer, Ellen
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2015 9:59 AM
To: 'Keener, Bill'
Subject: Talk with Jared re UIC wells?

Hi, Bill – I have a story coming up on California UIC wells that I need EPA comment on. Would it be possible to talk briefly to Jared for that on Tuesday afternoon?

Best,

Ellen

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